

Coorg.

Wet land.—The Kartika crop is thriving : ploughing for the Vaisaka crop has commenced.

Ragi.—Ragi is being reaped, but the harvest is small.

Cardamoms.—Cardamoms are being picked, and the yield is said to be good.

Coffee.—Coffee is ripening on some estates in South Coorg. Labor still scarce and prospects poor.

Mortality.—The number of deaths amongst the population of the Province in August was 412, against 324 in the same month of last year, and is classified as follows :—

				Taluks.			
Diarrhoea	..	17		Mercara	..	77	
Fever	..	384		Padinalknad	..	86	
Suicide	..	1		Yedenalknad	..	58	
Accidents	..	2		Kiggatnad	..	61	
By wild beasts and snakes	..	2		Nanjarajpatna	..	69	
Other diseases	..	12		Yelsavirshime	..	41	
Total.. 412				Towns.			
				Mahadeopet	..	3	
				Virarajendrapet	..	17	
				Total .. 412			

Of the above, there were 162 males, 111 females and 139 children of the following sects :—
Christians 6 ; Coorgs 78 ; Hindus 224 ; Muhammadans 21 ; Other classes 83 ; Total 412.

Cattle.—The mortality amongst the cattle in September was 282 against 889 in the same month of last year, and is classified as follows :—

Bulls 66 ; cows 62 ; calves 37 ; he-buffaloes 32 ; she-buffaloes 47 ; calves 38 ; total 282.

Market-rates.—Stationary.

Rain-fall.—Mercara—

		Inches.	Cents.
In September 1880..	..	10	67
Total Rain-fall ..	..	118	95
Somavarpet—			
In September 1880	..	5	54
Total Rain-fall ..	..	88	21

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Abstract of Meteorological Reports received from Head-Quarters of Districts in the Province of Mysore, from 1st to 15th October 1880.

DISTRICT.	Thermometer.							Thermometer.		Rain.		Wind.
	Averages for the haf month.							Maximum.	Minimum.	Inches.	Cents.	
	9-30 A. M.				3-30 P. M.							
	Dry bulb.	Wet bulb.	Differ-ence.	Dry bulb.	Wet bulb.	Differ-ence.						
Kolar ...	75	...	...	78	...	...	73	67	1	30	N. E.	
Tumkur .	78	66	12	87	76	11	68	62	1	86	N. E. & E.	
Mysore*...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Hassan ...	65	34	31	74	41	33	82	64	6	45	S. W.	
Shimoga	78	...	...	81	...	...	...	...	...	55	...	
Kadur .	75	67	...	78	67	...	81	61	3	59	N. E. & S. W.	
Chitaldroog	75	...	...	78	...	...	...	...	2	72	S. W. & S. S. W.	

*Information not received.